U. S. NAVAL AIR STATION
TILLAMOOK, OREGON

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Serial 126

May 1, 1943.

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From: The Commanding Officer.
To : The Commander-in-Chief, United States Fleet.

Subject: Station War Diary, APRIL, 1943.

1. April 1:
Commander G.C. Erwin, U.S.N.R., Bureau of Aeronautics visited the station.
Received:
60 fire extinguisher charges.

2. April 7:
Lieutenant (jg) L.D. Wallace, NAS, Astoria, Oregon, graduate of U.S.N.T.S. (Recognition), Columbus, Ohio, gave the first of a series of weekly classes in recognition.
Received:
2 - 500 gal. Chrysler trailer fire pumps.

3. April 10:
Air Raid drill held. Results satisfactory.

4. April 14:
Fire Drill held. Results satisfactory.

5. April 15:
Airship K33 of Airship Squadron 33 arrived from Eureka, California, for operations from this station.
Commander C.E. Taylor, U.S.N., Headquarters, 13th Naval District, visited the station for an ordnance inspection.

6. April 17:
All hands drilled in air raid dispersal technique.

7. April 21:
Received rotating beacon.

8. April 23:
Congressman James W. Mott of the Naval Affairs Committee visited the station.

9. April 24:
All hands drilled in air raid dispersal technique.

10. April 27:
Received:
Two 3/4 ton Dodge ambulances.

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11. April 28:
Received:
45 pump type fire extinguishers.

12. April 30:
Small Arms target range completed.
Station construction approximately 54% complete.
The following buildings were completed, equipped and accepted during the month:
Laundry.
High explosives magazine #3.
Gunnery instruction held during the month including nomenclature, precautionary measures and field stripping of pieces.
Personnel on board:

Station officers	51
Marine officers	1
Airship Squadron 33 officers	12
	64
Station enlisted men	290
Marine enlisted men	30
Airship Squadron 33 enlisted men	158
	478

KARL L. LANGE

Recording Officer:
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